

Sandoval County Board of County Commissioners

Agenda Item Summary

AGENDA ITEM # 3-19-15.7

1. REQUESTED MOTION

ACTION REQUESTED:

Adopt Resolution No. 3-19-15.7 Establishing the Development of Paseo Del Volcan from Unser Blvd. in Rio Rancho to I-40 in Albuquerque as a High Priority Project in Future Allocations and Requests for Local, State or Federal Funding

WHY ACTION IS NECESSARY (Summary):

The development of the remaining 23 miles from Unser Blvd. to Albuquerque is crucial to economic development and job growth. This road will open access to lands for new or existing businesses to develop in our County. The City of Rio Rancho has passed a resolution supporting the completion of this road. County staff is working with MRCOG to put this road back on the 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan.

2. REQUESTOR

COMMISSIONER SPONSORED: ☐ YES ☒ NO

DISTRICT: ☐ DISTRICT 1 ☐ DISTRICT 4
☐ DISTRICT 2 ☐ DISTRICT 5
☐ DISTRICT 3

DIRECTOR / ELECTED:

DIVISION:

ELECTED OFFICE:

ATTACHMENTS: ☒ YES ☐ NO

3. MEETING DATE

March 19, 2015

4. AGENDA (To be completed by County Manager)

- ☐ PROCLAMATION
☐ PRESENTATION
☐ CONSENT
☒ REGULAR
☐ APPEAL

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommend Board of County Commission approval.

6. FISCAL IMPACT

None

7. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL (Initials & Date)

Department Director/Elected Official	Human Resources	Purchasing	Attorney As to Form PFT 3/13/15	Finance Budget	County Manager PPR 3/13/15	Other
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8. COMMISSION ACTION

☐ Approved ☐ Denied ☐ Deferred ☐ Other



SANDOVAL COUNTY

RESOLUTION NO. 3-19-15.7

Establishing the Development of Paseo Del Volcan from Unser Blvd. in Rio Rancho to I-40 in Albuquerque as a High Priority Project in Future Allocations and Requests for Local, State or Federal Funding

WHEREAS, Paseo Del Volcan, 7.3 miles located in the City of Rio Rancho, Sandoval County, is a thoroughfare for many motorists and has greatly enhanced the flow of traffic; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Sandoval County, on August 21, 2014, approved Paseo Del Volcan as part of Sandoval County's 2016-2020 Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commission of Sandoval County, on November 20, 2014, approved Paseo Del Volcan as a capital funding priority for the Fifty-Fourth Legislative session; and

WHEREAS, Sandoval County endorses the plan, design, construction and right of way acquisition for the remaining 23 miles which will connect NM550 to Interstate 40 for a much needed loop road that will provide economic development and job growth throughout this corridor; and

WHEREAS, the Paseo Del Volcan corridor will provide access to thousands of acres of land allowing for new growth and attract new businesses to develop or existing businesses to relocate to this area; and

WHEREAS, with the potential growth of businesses and booming population, Paseo Del Volcan will generate significant revenue for the counties of Sandoval and Bernalillo, Sandoval County's largest municipality (City of Rio Rancho), and the State of New Mexico.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, the governing body of Sandoval County, strongly supports the development of Paseo Del Volcan from Unser Blvd. in Rio Rancho to I-40 in Albuquerque.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Sandoval County shall continue its efforts to secure funding for this project and will work diligently with the Mid-Region Council of Governments, the City of Rio Rancho, Bernalillo County, the City of Albuquerque, New Mexico Department of Transportation and the private sector to develop support for the expeditious completion of this project.

DONE at Bernalillo, County of Sandoval, New Mexico, this 19th day of March 2015.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SANDOVAL COUNTY**

Darryl F. Madalena, Chairman

ATTEST:

James Dominguez, Vice Chairman

Eileen Garbagni, County Clerk

Nora Scherzinger, Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Don Chapman, Member

Patrick F. Trujillo, County Attorney

Glenn Walters, Member